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Dear Examiner:

This document is filed by Applicants' representative on behalf of the present Applicants for patent. Accordingly, references in this document to "we," "us," "our," and the like will be understood as indicating the present Applicants.

Applicants respectfully request that Claims 22-26 and 28-30 be cancelled.